

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 1388

Introduced by Assembly Member Wieckowski

February 18, 2011

An act to amend Section 26001 of the Public Resources Code, relating to energy.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1388, as introduced, Wieckowski. California Alternative Energy and Advanced Transportation Financing Authority Act.

Existing law establishes the California Alternative Energy and Advanced Transportation Financing Authority Act, which is intended to provide industry within this state with an alternative method of financing alternative methods and sources of energy in this state. The act includes various legislative findings and declarations relating to the need to develop renewable energy sources and promote energy sources that reduce the degradation of the environment and protect the health, welfare, and safety of the public.

This bill would make a technical, clarifying change in those legislative findings and declarations.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 26001 of the Public Resources Code is
- 2 amended to read:
- 3 26001. The Legislature hereby finds and declares all of the
- 4 following:

1 (a) It is essential that the state, in cooperation with the federal
2 government, use all practical and commercially feasible means to
3 promote the prompt and efficient development of energy sources
4 which are renewable or which more efficiently utilize and conserve
5 ~~scarce~~ *finite* energy resources.

6 (b) The promotion of energy sources which reduce the
7 degradation of the environment and which protect the health,
8 welfare, and safety of the people of this state is in the public interest
9 and serves a public purpose.

10 (c) It is essential that the state, in cooperation with the federal
11 government, use all practical and commercially feasible means to
12 promote the development and commercialization of advanced
13 transportation technologies to conserve energy, reduce air pollution,
14 promote economic development and jobs, and protect the health,
15 welfare, and safety of the people of the state.